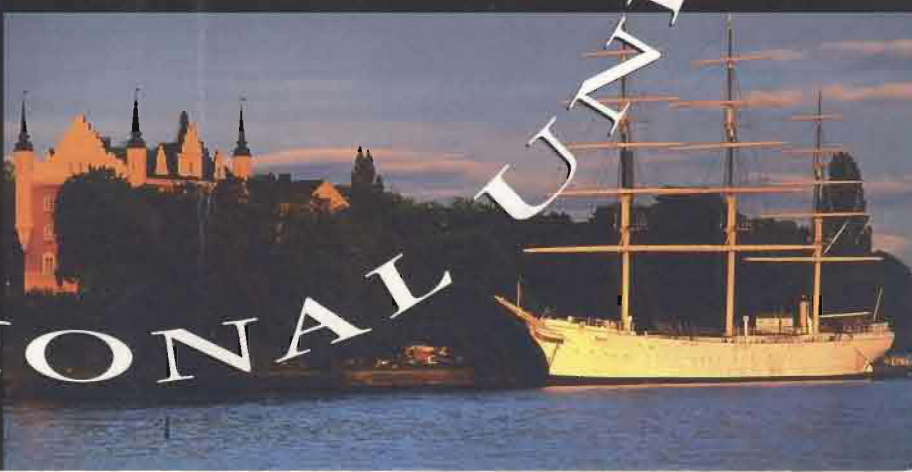
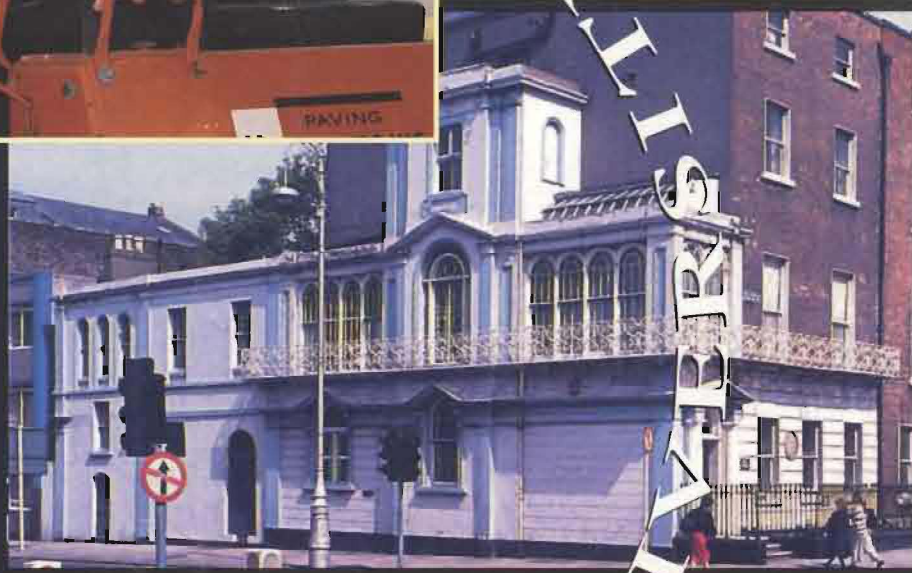
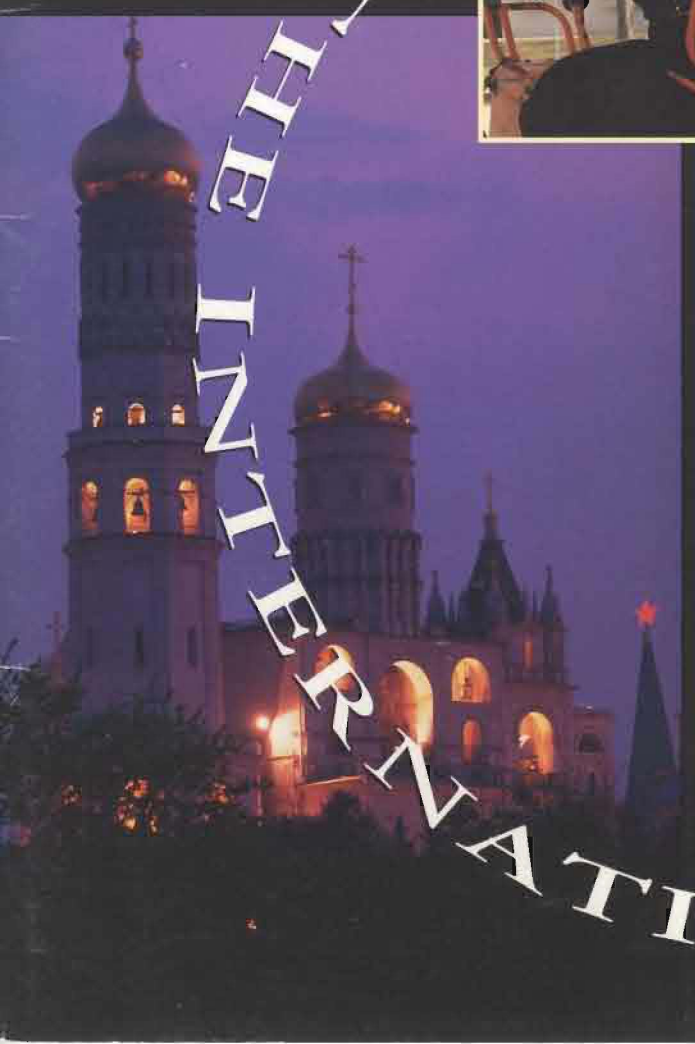


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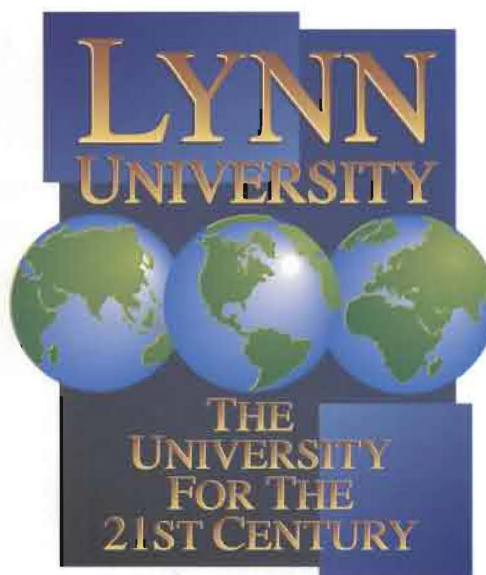
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American College Dublin, our sister campus in Ireland;
Fuji Phoenix and Trident Colleges in Japan; Ecôle Condé in
France; University of Stockholm in Sweden; Marin College
in Argentina; St. Petersburg University in Russia;
Paderborn University in Germany.*

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

The University's 1996-1997 academic year has begun with a flourish! Our long-awaited de Hoernle International Center is under construction and expected to be completed in the Spring of 1997. For more information on this dramatic, new building see the story inside.

The new class of freshmen and transfer students who make up the Class of 2000, the first graduating class of the 21st century, has exciting challenges and opportunities awaiting it. The horizons are unlimited with a world of technology that only a decade ago was not possible.

With the addition of several new faculty members and programs, the University continues to grow academically, responding to the needs of the next generation of leaders. Our global outreach is expanding through our sister campus, American College Dublin, and through exchange programs or affiliations with institutions in Japan, France, Sweden, Germany, Russia and Argentina. The second International Economic Symposium was held on November 13, 1996, at the prestigious Keidanren Center in Gotemba, Japan. The Symposium took an informed look at the changing economic environment in the context of the Pacific Rim. Look for a full report in our next issue of TODAY.



President Donald E. Ross

The University community is anticipating an exciting and challenging year. We appreciate our benefactors and friends who are so important to our growth and achievement and, once again, thank you for your confidence in Lynn University and its mission in higher education. ♦

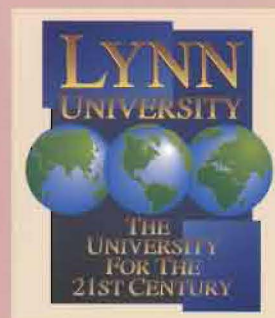
INTERNATIONAL CENTER ON THE RISE!

The construction trailer is here, the ground has been leveled, the foundation poured and the walls are rising on the de Hoernle International Center. Anticipated completion is Spring of 1997 and what an addition this handsome building will make to our campus. The much-needed classrooms, administrative offices and activities centers will be welcomed facilities to our burgeoning campus.

The 32,580 square foot building funded with a challenge grant of \$1 million from the Count and Countess de Hoernle, is almost entirely named. A few naming opportunities remain as can be seen in the accompanying sketch. If you are interested in helping the University construct this facility debt-free, please call John Gallo, Vice President for Development. ♦



Countess de Hoernle

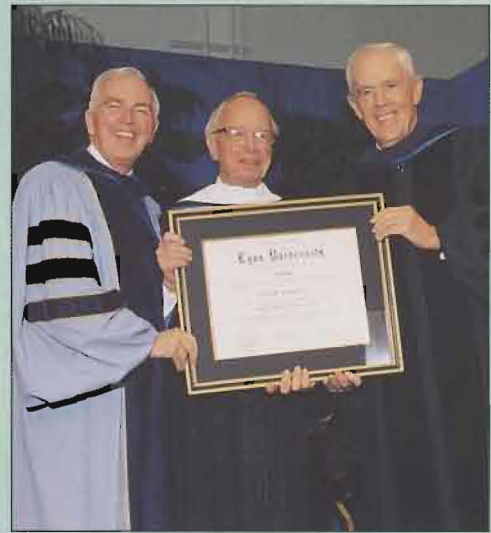


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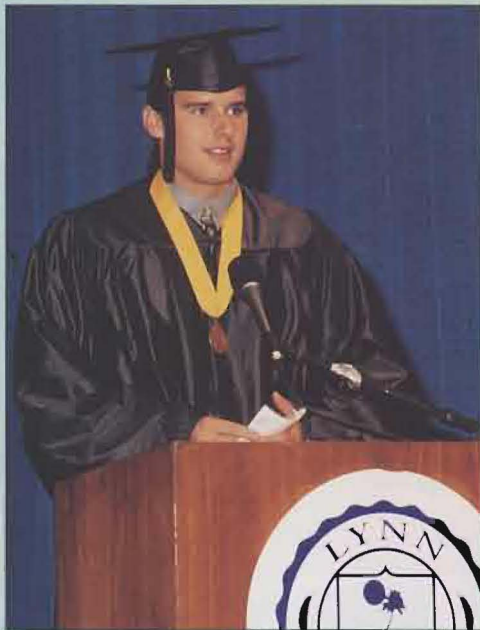


Commencement day dawned sunny and bright as more than 350 graduates received their diplomas. Nearly 2,500 family, friends and the University Community were on hand as master's, bachelor's and associate degrees were awarded.

Dr. Arthur M. Schlesinger, Special Assistant to President John F. Kennedy, was the keynote speaker. Dr. Schlesinger was awarded an honorary Doctor of Humane Letters during the ceremony.



President Ross, Dr. Schlesinger and Trustee Ray Osborne



Jakob Lorentzon, Bachelor of Science in Business Administration, delivered the welcoming address and challenged the graduating class to make a difference in the world.



Carmen Essaye, Class of 77, shown here with President Ross and Board Member Jim Cumpton, received the Distinguished Alumni Award. Carmen serves as President of the Alumni Association and has been instrumental in organizing a Marymount Chapter locally.



Dr. Jennifer Braaten, Provost/Vice President for Academic Affairs, presents Ellen Kirbert, Associate Professor of Education, with the Outstanding Teacher Award. The award is especially significant since the recipient is chosen by the students.



Board Member Bill Shubin presented the Trustees' Medal to Stefano Papaleo who earned the Bachelor of Arts. The medal is presented to the student who has exhibited outstanding scholarship, leadership, loyalty and service to the University.

The James J. Oussani Award is presented to the student who has shown the most determination and commitment in earning a degree. Mr. Oussani presented the award to Curtis Coleman who earned the Bachelor of Science in Business Administration.



Board Member Mary Henke presented the Robert Sandelman Award for Excellence in Marketing to Nayat Martinez. Nayat earned the Bachelor of Science in Business Administration. This was a new award this year underwritten by Mr. Sandelman.



Heather Anne Cohen, Bachelor of Science in Hospitality Administration, received the de Hoernle Humanitarian Award. The Countess de Hoernle presented the award to Heather in recognition of her outstanding loyalty to the University.



Board Member Joe Fowler presented the Student Service Award to Trent Turner, Bachelor of Science in Hospitality Administration, for service to his fellow students.



Anton Pastuszak, Bachelor of Arts, was presented with the President's Award by Board Member Steve Snyder. The award is given in special cases to the student who displays extraordinary service and commitment to the University.



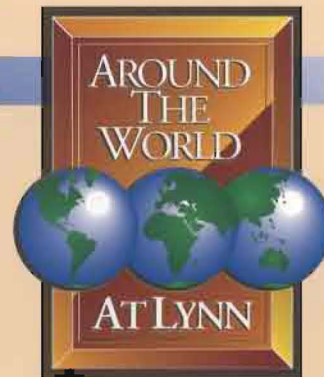
Ryan Fuzer was the recipient of the Bachelor Degree Award presented by Board Member Brad Middlebrook. The award is presented to the graduating senior with the highest grade point average in the four year degree program. Ryan earned the Bachelor of Science in Hospitality Administration.

Ashley Bolen was the recipient of the Medina McMenimen Bickel Fashion Marketing Award presented to the graduating senior who exhibits exceptional potential for success in the field. Don Wargo, member of the Board, presented the award on Mrs. Bickel's behalf.



AROUND THE WORLD AT LYNN

Ireland – Land of Enchantment



A visit to magical, mystical Ireland, Land of Enchantment, is the theme for this year's Ball to be held on November 23, 1996 in the Count and Countess de Hoernle Sports and Cultural Center.

Chairing this visit to the Emerald Isle are Mr. and Mrs. Arthur E. Upton. Vice Chairs are Mr. and Mrs. Gene Ehlers and the Honorary Chairmen are Mr. and Mrs. Eugene M. Lynn.

Mr. and Mrs. Upton are both members of Lynn's Board of Overseers and Mrs. Upton is a Life Member of the Excalibur Society, a group dedicated to raising scholarship funds for Lynn University Students.

Mr. Ehlers is also a member of the Board of Overseers. Mrs. Ehlers is chairing this year's Excalibur Extravaganza and is an active member of the Excalibur Society.

Our Annual Ball is a gala celebration with a worthy purpose. Each year, the University awards almost \$4 million in scholarships and grants to needy and worthy students — all private funds above and beyond those given to students through local, state and federal agencies.

With all proceeds benefiting the Lynn University Scholarship Fund, tickets for the event are \$150 per person. The evening begins with cocktails and hors d'oeuvres at 6:30 p.m. followed by dinner and dancing to the Palm Beach Orchestra. Highlights of the evening will be the presentation of the annual Boca Raton Award and Noel Kingston, Irish Tenor. For more information, please call Jan Glitz at (561) 994-0770, extension 168. ♦



Mr. and Mrs. Upton



Mr. and Mrs. Ehlers

The Annual President's

GALA AFFAIR RECOGNIZES UNIVERSITY DONORS



*Don and Helen Ross with Carolyn
and Gene Ehlers*

The annual President's Council Recognition Dinner acknowledges those donors who have been most supportive of the University and its programs. During his remarks, President Ross said "You are all very special people — the University's closest friends. You have gone beyond the ordinary to help Lynn University become extra-ordinary."

The President's Council is the University's premiere benefactors' organization committed to providing educational opportunities for students through significant unrestricted and restricted gifts. Benefactors were presented with a dazzling, engraved Waterford paper weight as a small, but sincere, thank you for their generosity and commitment to the University.

Chaired by Gene and Carolyn Ehlers, the setting was reminiscent of an English garden with the intoxicating scent of roses permeating the room. ♦

Joan and Don Wargo



Christine Lynn, Irving R. Levine, Mary Anna Fowler



Council Recognition Dinner



Pat and Art Upton



Countess and Count de Hoemle



Bernie and
Berte Cohen



Ginny and Al Thornbrough



Mary and Harold Perper



EXCALIBUR SAILS THROUGH ANOTHER SUCCESSFUL YEAR!

With the April Business Meeting, the Excalibur Society completed a highly successful fund raising year. Membership was at an all-time high and in addition to awarding \$12,000 in traditional and non-traditional scholarships during the year, the Society raised 58,000 for the Endowed Scholarship Fund which now has a principal of \$158,000. The first Excalibur Scholar began in September and appeared at the October General Membership Luncheon. The scholarship is renewable for four years pending satisfactory academic performance.



Barbara Fox, Joan Wargo



Berte Cohen, Helen Ross, Mary Perper

The Excalibur Society season opened with a General Membership Luncheon on October 9 when President Don Ross and his Cabinet reported on the State of the University.

Newly elected to the Board for the coming year are Mary Glover and Olive Johnson, who serves as Program Chairman. Others re-elected are Barbara Fox, Eleanor Zaccagnini, Emily Miller, Mary Thom Osborne,

Adelaide Snyder, Berte Cohen and Louise Hanford. Joan Wargo is President and Mary Perper is First Vice President while Wilma Elmore, Past President, serves as an ex-officio member of the Board.

Mary Perper, First Vice President and Chairman of the Ways and Means Committee, announced the following special events scheduled for 1996-1997:

Excalibur Extravaganza, a pre-holiday shopping bazaar, featuring local vendors, lunch and fashions from Jacobson's of Boca Raton on December 6, 1996.

South Beach Art Deco Tour including Miami Beach's historic Lincoln Drive and lunch — February 20, 1997.

A Day in Manalapan with lunch and a matinee at the Pope Theatre — March 11, 1997.

Excalibur goes to Jai Alai — dinner, games and vouchers on April 5, 1997 at Dania Jai Alai.

Membership in the Excalibur Society is \$100 per year and fully tax deductible since dues fund scholarship awards. For more information, please contact Jan Glitz at (561) 994-0770, extension 168.

One of the several fund raising events sponsored by the Excalibur Society was a steamboat cruise on the Mississippi aboard the new American Queen. Sailing from New Orleans, the group first docked at Oak Alley for a visit to the plantation. St. Francisville was the next stop and offered two tours of homes and plantations. Thursday found the group in Natchez touring historic homes and some trying their luck at the Lady Luck Casino. Friday was Baton Rouge and a wonderful trip to Cajun country to learn the heritage and to sample typical Cajun tidbits.



Betsey Freiburger, Wilma Elmore

EXCALIBUR EXTRAVAGANZA



Olive Johnson, Jean Spence



Ann Bishop, Joan Wargo, Christine Lynn

Music and dancing had everyone's toes tapping and, for most, a first look at a bayou. After docking in New Orleans, the group spent two nights in the "City That Time

Forgot." Visiting antique shops, the French Market and coffee and beignets at Cafe du Monde, plus wonderful dinners at fabulous restaurants, rounded out the delightful trip. ❖

MISSISSIPPI CRUISE



Standing, l-r: Barbara Frangie, Nancy McGinn, Jacques Trepin, Mary Rehrig, Mary Anna Fowler, Joe Fowler, Capt. Lawrence Keating, Loyd Powers, Mary Glover, Bette Cumpston, Jim Cumpston, Edie Comparato, Tony Comparato, Barbara Fox, Art Upton, Paul Glitz, Betsey Freiburger, Jan Glitz, Riva Powers, Kathleen Chman. Seated, l-r: Don Ross, Helen Ross, Christine Lynn, Gene Lynn, Nancy Levine, Irving R. Levine.

SUMMER CRUISE 1996

In Memoriam...
Charles E. Schmidt



*President Donald Ross
and the*

*University Community
were saddened with the
recent passing of*

Charles E. Schmidt.

*Mr. Schmidt was a
generous benefactor and
friend of the University
as well as the
Boca Raton community.*



Don and Helen Ross, Gene Lynn, Diane and Tony Da Silva, Christine Lynn aboard the Sea Goddess. The Summer 1997 Cruise will be in June aboard the elegant Maasdam to the North Cape.

ATLANTA '96

Lynn University hosted members of the Irish Olympic Team for several weeks this summer. Boxers, swimmers, cyclists, and tennis players were here for training for the 100th Olympiad — Atlanta '96. Since the weather in Florida is similar to that in Atlanta during the games, the Olympic Council of Ireland felt it would be an ideal place to "climatize" the athletes. Ireland rarely experiences the heat and humidity found in

Atlanta and many times athletes are at a disadvantage because they're not accustomed to the weather. One of the boxers who trained here, Francis Barrett, was selected to carry the flag for Ireland in the opening ceremonies. And, if you were tuned in to the Olympics, you know that Michelle Smith won three gold medals in swimming, the first gold medals ever won by an Irish competitor. ♦



PRESIDENT ROSS Named Among America's Top 100 Irish Americans

President Don Ross was named one of the country's top 100 Irish Americans, a distinction that places him among other notable honorees such as U.S. Senators Edward Kennedy and Daniel Moynihan, Nobel Prize Winner Seamus Heaney, pilot Scott O'Grady, U.S. Ambassador Jean Kennedy Smith, novelist Pat Conroy, and performers Susan Sarandon and Pierce Brosnan, among others.

Applauded for his commitment to global education including the study abroad program at Lynn University's



Members of Waterford Crystal and Irish America Magazine presented President Ross with the award.

sister campus in Ireland, American College Dublin, President Ross was one of only two Floridians receiving the honor. The other recipient was U.S. Senator Connie Mack. ♦

AMERICAN WOMEN'S CLUB of Dublin Visits Oscar Wilde House



From left: Jean Kennedy Smith, Ambassador of the United States, Helen Ross and Ellen Ross

Ambassador Jean Kennedy Smith is shown here with Helen Ross and Ellen Ross Sarafian who, along with President Ross, hosted a tea for the American Women's Club of Dublin at the Oscar Wilde House on the campus of American College Dublin.

The members of the AWCD come from many parts of the United States. Some have settled permanently in Ireland while others are in Dublin for a short time. For some members, this function was their first contact with American College Dublin; for others who have sons or daughters enrolled, it was a time to become better acquainted with the College.

Welcoming the guests, President Ross remarked, "It is entirely fitting that this gathering should take place in these rooms, over which has presided one of the greatest women in Irish history, one who can serve as a role model even today." He was referring, of course, to Lady Jane Wilde, Speranza of the Nation, famed poet and patriot and mother to Oscar Wilde.

Since moving to Dublin, Ellen Ross Sarafian has become an active member of the AWCD and was recently selected as the Publications Editor for the organization. ♦

AMERICAN COLLEGE DUBLIN



Mr. and Mrs. Lou Green and their son, Oliver, recently visited American College Dublin. They are shown here with Nancy McGinn (l) and President Don Ross (r).



A reception was held in the Oscar Wilde House, recently, to mark the publication of *The Knight on His Quest, Symbolic Patterns of Transition in Sir Gawain and the Green Knight* by Dr. Piotr Sadowski, English Professor at the American College Dublin shown here with President Ross.

COUNTESS DE HOERNLE SPRING TEA

The Countess de Hoernle hosted the Spring Tea, the last of the season. The Teas are held four times a year and proceeds benefit the Lynn University Scholarship Fund. The Teas are a delightful way to share an afternoon with friends while enjoying a pleasant repast. Lovely music from the harp and delicious treats add up to a very pleasurable afternoon. ♦



GLOBAL WEEK

Serving a student population from 70 nations, Lynn University celebrates the diversity of its varied cultures during Global Week held in the spring. The week is highlighted by International Day when students share their cultures with exhibits of artifacts, music and food. During the week, a variety of performances and lectures provide insight to the countries represented. ♦



Students from Venezuela share their excitement with President Ross.



The Indimi sisters from Nigeria had a fascinating exhibit featuring costumes, art and food.

FAMILIES WEEKEND

Families Weekend is always a special time at Lynn University. Students and their families share a weekend of special events with faculty and staff.

Honors Convocation is the first function of the weekend when students are recognized for academic achievement.

An informal breakfast with faculty and staff gives families the opportunity to visit and learn more about their student's life at Lynn.

The Fashion Design students present a wonderful fashion show and luncheon which is always well attended.

A delightful Sunday Brunch rounds out a great weekend. ♦



NEW ACADEMIC PROGRAMS

Natural Sciences

The University launched two new undergraduate degree concentrations — the Bachelor of Science in Natural Sciences with concentrations in Pre-Medicine and Environmental Science. Both concentrations are heavily grounded in liberal arts curricula with substantial coursework in natural sciences.

The Pre-Med concentration will appeal to students interested in pursuing a career in medicine, dentistry, chiropractic medicine and other allied health sciences. Science courses such as biology, chemistry, genetics, physics, anatomy and physiology and organic chemistry coupled with a solid liberal arts core and major requirements in math, behavioral sciences, language and literature help to prepare students for graduate school in a particular discipline in the natural sciences.

As in the Pre-Med concentration, the Environmental Science concentration has a strong base in the liberal arts with science coursework in biology, chemistry, environmental studies, physics, ecology, marine biology and organic chemistry. Students can prepare for environmental studies at the graduate level with this concentration.

Plans call for the development of both concentrations through field work and research opportunities.

Criminal Justice Administration

The School of Graduate Studies announced a new program beginning in the Spring Semester — the Master of Science in Criminal Justice Administration. The program is designed for those with an undergraduate degree — individuals already employed as sworn officers in a public agency or those who will come to the field from other backgrounds. While geared to densely populated, culturally and demographically diverse south Florida, the knowledge acquired will be universal in application. By design, this graduate program will promote a clear understanding of the global issues facing law enforcement, while integrating sound business principles and practices expected of a modern police administrator. ♦



ALUMNEWS

Alumni Association Continues to Strengthen!

The Alumni Association has made great strides in the last few years. The direction of the Association is determined by the Board of Directors, which for the past two years has been headed by **Carmen Essaye '77**. Carmen just completed her term as President and now turns over the reins to **Kathy Martin '71**. During her term the Alumni Association has seen its most dramatic growth since inception in 1967. Participation in Association events grew 180%. "The Alumni Association owes Carmen a great deal for moving the Association to the position it currently holds," noted Steve King '91, Director of Alumni Relations.



Kathy Martin a 1971 graduate of Lynn (then Marymount College), has been elected as the President of the Alumni Association. She intends to pick up where Carmen left off and move the Association

towards continued growth in programs and participation. Active participants in Lynn alumni activities for many years, she and her husband, John, live in Deerfield Beach with their daughters, Laura (21) and Michele (18).

Kathy and John founded the Decorators Mart in Boca Raton 25 years ago and have witnessed the growth of Boca and Lynn over the years. Her dedication to the area, coupled with her entrepreneurial knack and love for the University, combine to make her an excellent choice for the Lynn Alumni Association President.

"I have set high expectations for the Association and myself for the coming year, and intend to work diligently to build and strengthen the Association. We need an effort from all alumni to help locate lost alumni and get them involved. I am especially concerned with establishing programs targeted at the alumni from the Marymount era, and getting them involved in the Association.

George Liss, a 1993 graduate, becomes the Vice President of the Alumni Association. George, **Meighan '94** and Lily (15 months) recently moved back to Deerfield Beach after living in New Hampshire for two years. (George is the Vice President of Sales for RGR Logistics, Inc.)



Kathy Brace D'Amelio, a graduate of the class of 1987, has been elected Secretary of the Alumni Association. Kathy was the recipient of the Outstanding Alumni Award in 1994 for her dedication to the Alumni Association. She and husband, Frank, live in Boca and are mainstays at all University functions. Kathy is currently a Personal Computer Support Analyst for Levitz Furniture's corporate offices in Boca Raton.



Lynn Alumni Association Upcoming Events

November 5 – Phon-a-Thon

November 6 – Career Fair

December 17 – Alumni Holiday Reception

February 7-9 – Homecoming Weekend

May – Alumni/Senior Class Reception

July – Alumni Golf Outing

For more information on these and other events, please call Steve King in the Office of Alumni Relations, (561) 994-0770.



George Liss and Kathy Martin.

Several alumni volunteers help "bring in the class of 2000."

Alumni volunteers gathered to assist the Office of Admission in the effort to recruit new students for Lynn. "Prospective students really enjoy the insight and character that the alumni can impart when calling," explains Steve King, Director of Alumni Relations and coordinator of the event. George Liss '93 said, "Students feel as though they have made a friend and know somebody related to the campus once they arrive for their first day of class."

The alumni enjoy calling because it reminds them of the beginning of an exciting time in their lives. "Reminiscing about our first day on campus, the friendships and the good times we had, seems to make these kids feel at ease with going away to college," explains Shaun Exsteen '93.

HOMECOMING 1996

Sun and fun are choice descriptions for the 1996 Homecoming Weekend. The weekend's weather was upstaged only by the record turnout for the events. Over 195 alums participated in this year's Homecoming festivities. More than a quarter of the alums came from out-of-state, which emphasizes the magnitude of the weekend. This year's format focused on the outdoors with barbecue, sports, dinner cruise, alumni soccer games and much more.



Homecoming Barbecue Participants: Shaun Exsteen, '93; Chris Albrecht, '93; Lenin Steenkemp, '93; Dave Kennicott, '93; Holly Nay, '93

In what turned out to be the most beautiful weekend this season, the first annual faculty/staff softball game re-enforced the old adage "age and treachery win out over youth and

charm." The faculty/staff team took advantage of the alumni team in ways not often seen in college sports. The faculty/staff scored as quickly as the chefs could serve up the barbecue.

With a day filled with sun, fun and old friendships renewed, the Dinner Cruise was the perfect way to end a perfect day. The cruise, which departed from Delray Beach, followed the intracoastal waterway down through Highland Beach and into Boca Raton. The "Rambling Rose," a restored river boat was the perfect way for alums to renew friendships and enjoy a truly classic social setting. The relaxing three hour cruise with its fine food and friends could not have been better.

Sunday Brunch brought us back to the Lynn Student Center where we all have had our share of Sunday Brunch; however, this year the event was held in the Auditorium as we have outgrown The Christine Room. Several University administrators were on hand at this event to thank the alumni for their support and participation.



Victorious faculty/staff softball team: Back row: Dick Thomas, Eric Hoffman, Jim Matthews, Paul Turner, Matt Webb, Jim Blankenship, Steve King. Front: Jim Miller, Jon Dimmeyer, Leslie Kent, Todd Maxey, and Bobby Elder.

These Sunday Brunches have always been "family" oriented, and this year was no different. **John Langan** '81 returned with his two lovely children, Patrick and Mary. Mary was the "Belle of the Brunch"



Alexis Lewisohn, Paige Aberle and Jody Figliolino prepare for the Dinner Cruise.

with her Sunday dress and hat. **Bill** '86 and **Jackie Ziton** brought their family, giving us our first introduction to their eight month old son. At the conclusion of the Brunch, the

group toured the new 59,000-sq.-ft. Lynn Library. The group was truly excited about the CD ROM resource center, the 24 hour study lounge, the conference rooms, and the fact that the Library will eventually house 200,000 volumes.



Dinner Cruisers preparing to board the Rambling Rose



Some of the Sunday Brunch Bunch

ALUMNI DIRECTORY IN PRODUCTION

All 4,000 Lynn University Alumni Association members have been notified of our upcoming new Alumni Directory. We are asking for your input, so please return your questionnaire promptly. This will ensure that your personal information will be accurately included in this great new reference book.

Within the next few months, the verification phase of this project will begin. Alumni will begin receiving a telephone call from Bernard C. Harris Publishing Company, Inc., the official publisher of our directory. Please give the representative who calls you a few moments of your time to verify your listing.

To place a reservation for the Lynn University Alumni Association Alumni Directory, please advise the Harris representative during this conversation. This will offer you a first look at your new directory.

Scheduled for release in May 1997, the Lynn University Alumni Association Directory promises to be the definitive reference of 4,000 of our alumni. Don't miss the chance to be a part of it!

Class of '66

Maureen Gilchrist Andriole wrote to let us know how she and her family are doing. She married her college sweetheart, Rich, and has two sons, Rich and Michael. Maureen is an Administrative Assistant to the Director of Staff Development for the Greenfield, Indiana School District. Maureen and thirteen other alumni met in Hilton Head, South Carolina for a week of reunion.

Lorraine Rindone Brady married her college sweetheart, Bill Brady who graduated from Biscayne College. She is working for Herff Jones Company. They have three children: Bill, age 27, an attorney; Thomas, age 25 is working with State Farm and Laurie, age 21, is a senior in college.

Several alums from the class of '66 gathered in Maryland to reminisce about their days at Marymount College. In attendance were Diane Wands Zurflu, Jeanne Donnelly Archer, Maureen Gilchrist Andriole, Leigh Smith Clark, Donna Follar Castner, Barbara Marino, Laura Hungerford Farley, Sue Mahally Hawthorne, Margaret Hurley Hughes, Lorraine Rindone Brady, Cathy Immer, and Mary Jane "Murf" Miller Dwyer.

Mary Jane Miller Dwyer is married with two children: Philip, age 19, and Molly, age 21. Mary Jane, or "Murf" as she is known, attended the reunion in Maryland this past summer.

Class of '68

Karin Thornburg Brown stopped by with friends to visit the campus. Karin is living in Miami, raising a family and doing volunteer work with her son's high school.



(left to right) Mary Jane Miller Dwyer, Maureen Gilchrist Andriole, Leigh Smith Clark, Lorraine Rindone Brady, Donna Fowler Castner

Class of '69

Adele Montanari Yermack recently visited the campus with her son Michael. Adele is the Director of Admission and Financial Aid at Miami Country Day school in Miami Lakes, FL. Her son, Michael, is applying to Lynn for the Fall 1997.

Class of '74

Patty Casey Haverstick called to let us know her status. She has been raising her two year old son, Michael, as well as working in her realty and travel agent practice. She will be assisting with the reunion for the classes of the '70s.

Class of '75

Pat Duax was recently in contact with **Greg Malfitano '75**, Vice President for Student Services. Pat is currently in the area working as a stand up comic. If you missed his live performance at Uncle Funnies, he can be seen on "Twisted T.V.," a national television program. He is currently living in Clearwater, FL.

Class of '76

Shanon Sylvestri Materio and husband, Phil, were featured in Glass Craftsman Magazine July 1996 edition for their work on the home of fashion designer Gianni Versace. The home, located on South Beach, is a replica of Christopher Columbus' house in Santo Domingo. Shanon and Phil were contracted to design and create all of the stained glass windows and chandeliers. Shanon and Phil have their studio in Lake Worth.

Class of '78

Barry Litwack wrote to let us know that he is living in Indianapolis, IN. He is an owner/partner in his family's metal services center. He manages one of the distributorships, and occasionally does freelance artwork/advertising and public relations for other businesses. He was recently married (2 years ago) to a Russian Jewish immigrant. They are enjoying their new life with their one year old daughter, Isabella Naomi.

Class of '80

Vicki Gehlert was married to Michael D. Crapps on March 16, 1996. They were married in the Keys, aboard the "Hot Mon." She is now living in Port St. Lucie with Michael. Congratulations Vicki and Michael!

Class of '81

Mary Ann Crosta and husband, **Gary Grayson**, '96 had their first son, Colton. Colton was a "large" boy weighing 9.6 pounds at birth. Congratulations Mary Ann and Gary!

Class of '84

Ingrid Dehner McCawley called to let us know that she and her husband, Peter, had their first child, Peter Dehner McCawley, now 11 months old. Ingrid is staying home to raise Peter and starting her own business. They are living in Marietta, GA.

Class of '86

Karen Yohros Cohen wrote to us looking for old classmates and to let us know of her whereabouts. She is living in Panama with her husband of four years, Avi Cohen. They have two daughters, Shirley, 10 months and Natalie, 3.

Kathryn J. Rishoff stopped by to see the University. She is employed with IBM Southeast Employees' Federal Credit Union as a Member Service Representative.

Class of '87

Mary Ann (Mimi) Haley called to let us know that she is living in Delray Beach. She is a development associate with Kids in Distress of Fort Lauderdale. She is responsible for public relations, corporate funding, and special events. Mimi is also working with the School of Business developing an internship program for Kids in Distress.

Peter Smith has accepted a promotion and moved to Hawaii. He will head the office for the Equitable, overseeing all the offices in Hawaii. Susan and their new baby, Kelly, should love the new surroundings. Congratulations, Peter!

John Starnner wrote to let us know that he and wife, Lisa, are still living in Boca and raising their two daughters, Brooke and Holly.

Michael S. Dudeck III has taken a position at the Equitable, a financial services firm located in Boca Raton.



John Starnner, '86 with his family: wife, Lisa; daughters, Brooke, three years and Holly, one year.

Class of '88

Kim and Derek Backman welcomed their first child, Warren John. Warren was a healthy 7 pounds, 13 ounces. Congratulations Kim and Derek, and we hope to see you and Warren John on campus soon.

Coopers & Lybrand in the Netherlands. He was recently promoted to manager in the audit practice of the firm specializing in investment companies and telecommunications.

Processes for the winning Malcolm Baldrige Team. She currently serves on the 1996 Governor's Sterling Award Board of Examiners.

Steve Rufino called us recently to say that he is living in Boca Raton and working for Equifax. He is the Key Account Manager with the Credit Information Services Department.



Kristen (MacKay) Mitchell '88 and son, Max, Lila Wright '88 and Kim (Smart) Backman '89 and son, Warren John

Timothy Hoffman has moved back, to South Florida. Tim was living in New York, and before that in Hawaii. Tim has just accepted a position with Boca Pointe in sales and marketing.

Class of '91

Uri Stern has written a book called *Advanced OS2 Operating Systems*. He left IBM in December and has started his own consulting firm, Stern and Morrow Consultants. They specialize in applications development for Fortune 500 companies. Of their clients American Express and IBM are the most notable. Uri is living and working here in Boca.

James Mury is living in Delray Beach and working for Custom Cable Industries as an account representative in the Assembly Division.

Class of '92

Raymond Gomez is living in his native Puerto Rico in Old San Juan. He works for the Marriott Corporation; so if you're in Puerto Rico give him a call.

Class of '93

Dorte Theil Nielson wrote to us recently to let us know that she has returned from Japan, and is back in Denmark. She has moved to Copenhagen and is enrolled in graduate school, studying export engineering. She is keeping in touch

Class of '89

Donny Rollins is now living in Chicago, IL and is engaged to **Liz Theodoskis '92**. Donny was a member of the 1987 National Championship Soccer Team. He is currently working with Group Three Promotion in Chicago as a Market Manager.

Humberto G. Nivillac dropped us a letter to let us know he is living in Curacao. After passing the Florida CPA exam in 1991, he moved back to Curacao to work as an accountant with Coopers & Lybrand of the Netherlands Antilles. The Netherlands Antilles firm is associated with

Melanie L. Marks completed her master's degree in business administration in 1991. She has started her own business, Beyond Training Inc., of Boynton Beach. She was



Melanie L. Marks

previously employed by The Ritz Carlton Hotel, and in 1992 she participated in the defining Quality Management

with other Lynn alums living in Denmark. **Hanne Nissen '95** and **Ann (Woody) Skouboe '93** (both former soccer players) are doing very well.

Eiji Hagiwara wrote to let us know that he has accepted a position with Midcom Communications, Inc., of New York. He is a senior account executive there.

Chris "Peppy" Albrecht and **Holiday Nay** are once again teaming up. They are working together in Chicago as consultants for Centerpoint Health Systems. They are still involved in soccer; both still play and coach youth teams.

Philip Annone is back in school working on his master's degree in human resource management. The degree should help him greatly since he is currently employed as the Human Resource Coordinator for Catholic Health Initiatives of Exton, PA.

Class of '94

Monty Hammill has moved to Boston, MA. He had been working in Bermuda at a Yacht Club. He was recently engaged to **Jennifer Ryalls '95**. They plan to marry in Spring of 1997.

Tathiana Correia was recently promoted to account executive by Trans Media Public Relations, a Boca Raton-based firm. Tathiana has written, edited and produced material for seven publications and television. She was media coordinator at WTDT-TV in Deerfield Beach and worked at United World Television in Fort Lauderdale.

Damiana Mendez has been appointed as the Sales Executive for the St. Lucie Tourist Board. She is living in Boca Raton and doing very well.

Class of '95

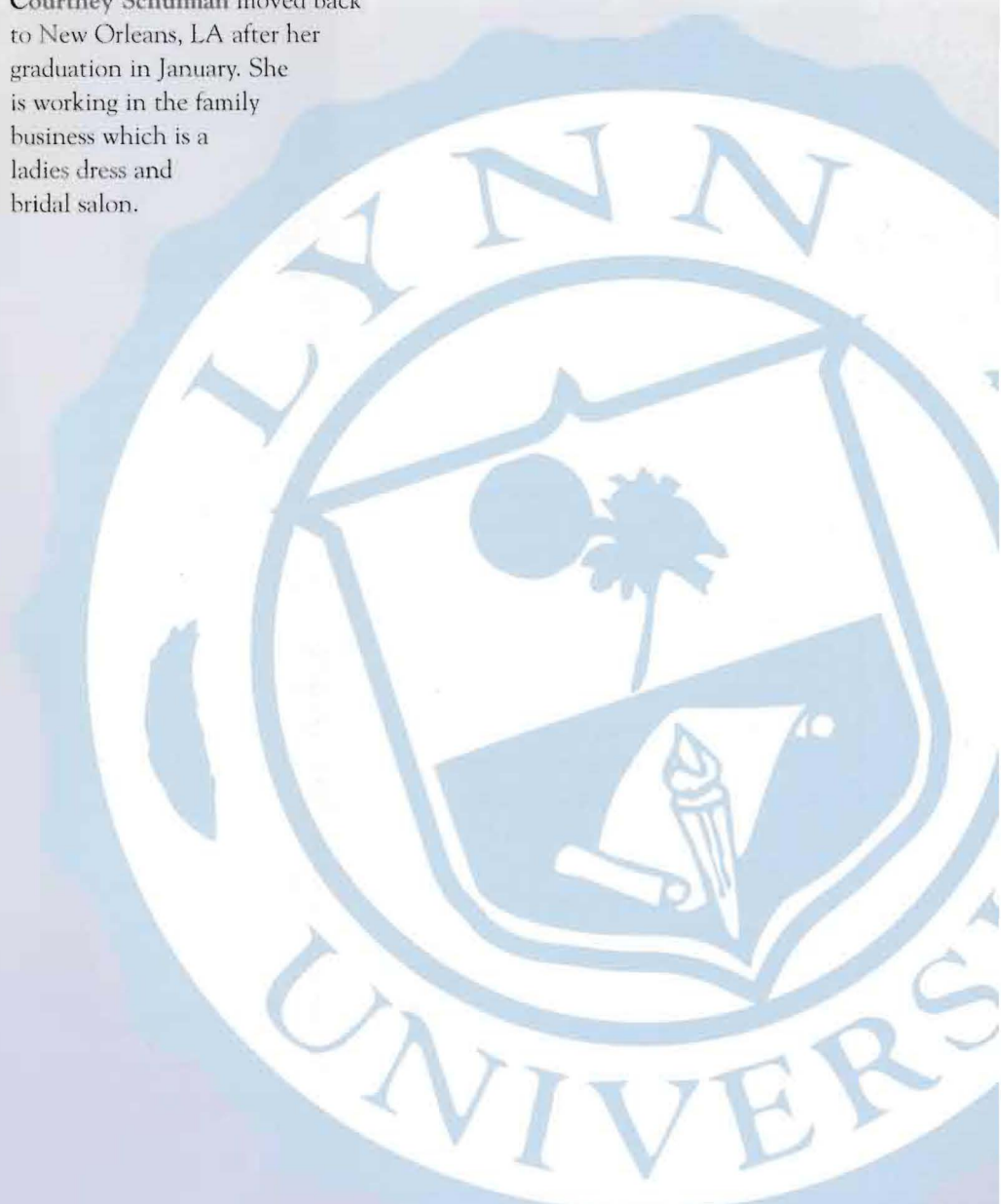
Elizabeth G. Roeder is living in Berwyn, PA. She is working as an interior designer with Gray Mare Interiors Inc.

Class of '96

Courtney Schulman moved back to New Orleans, LA after her graduation in January. She is working in the family business which is a ladies dress and bridal salon.

Gregory Gilsinger returned to south Florida from New Jersey. He has accepted a position as Assistant Grocery Manager at Albertsons in Delray.

Leanne Roosth recently wrote to let us know that she moved to Dallas, TX. She is working at the Four Seasons Hotel in Las Colinas, TX.



REGIONAL DIRECTORS

Lars Ivar Svensson '88 has been elected to serve as the Chairman of the **Swedish Alumni Association Regional Club**. He will coordinate all alumni activities taking place in Sweden. He was the first coach of our men's varsity tennis team in 1987 and also coached the women's team to the final four in 1987-1988. He continued to teach tennis upon his return to Sweden in 1988. He and his wife, Lisa, '87 have two children, Mikaela, 7 and Christoffer, 5. Lars is the Director of Sales for Skandia a life insurance company in Sweden.

Daniel Mathews III '90 is the **Upstate New York Regional Alumni Association Chairman**. Dan has been an attorney in Syracuse since passing the bar in 1994. Dan is a former President's Award winner in 1990, and during his days on campus he served as a resident assistant and played club hockey and rugby. He was married to Jessica in June 1994.

Holly Nay '93 will serve as the **Regional Chairman for the Chicago Chapter**. She is currently working for Corum Health Care as a Reimbursement Coordinator and is coaching youth soccer. She was a two time All-American, as well as a member of the 1992 National Championship Team. Holly served as a resident assistant in 1992 and 1993.

Ted Gould '95 has been elected to serve as the **Boston Area Chapter Chairman**. Ted is currently attending law school while working at Bank of Boston. He was the class president in 1995 and participated in rugby and several other campus activities.

John Langan '81 has agreed to serve as the **Washington D.C. area Regional Chairman**. He is a past president of the L.U. Alumni Association and the president of Langan Associates, a public accounting firm in Washington, D.C.

ALUMNI GOLF OUTING *A Huge Success!*



The First Annual Alumni Golf Outing was a sold-out event.

The first annual Lynn Alumni Golf Outing was held on July 27th at the Boca Country Club. Fifty-four players enjoyed uniquely mild south Florida summer weather to pit their golf skills against those of fellow alumni. The sold-out event saw the spectrum in golf talent; former LU golf greats George Liss and Steve Ventre's foursome took home most of the hardware. Others like

Anne Dingman traveled down from Pennsylvania to participate in the event with LU tennis teammate Mimi Nieporte.

With the success of this new event, the committee is already working on next year's date. They are even considering expanding the 54 player format in an attempt to allow everyone the opportunity to play.

ENGAGEMENTS AND MARRIAGES

Kristina R. Sleek '93 and **Trent Turner '96** were engaged this May during the graduation party for Trent. Krissy is working for Enterprise Rent-A-Car as a rental manager while Trent is a manager in training at the Boca Raton Resort and Club. Congratulations Krissy and Trent!

Doris Araujo is getting married in Cali, Colombia, and will live there after the honeymoon. She is working with a graphic design company, designing CD covers and cassettes.

Andrew Mazo graduated from the College of Boca Raton and is engaged to Barbara Winters of Boca Raton. They plan to be married on January 11, 1997.

Vicki Hall '94 was married on Saturday, October 19, 1996 at The Ascension Church in Boca Raton to Ryan Kenney of Boca Raton.

Vicki played on the 1992 and 1994 National Championship Soccer teams. Congratulations Vicki!

Dear Steve:

Thank you for your September letter with updates on alumni events. The magnet is stuck to my fridge and I can't seem to remove it now. Glad to see we're buying good quality magnets. But seriously, I hope to see you at several of the events when my schedule permits. Your letter also made reference to an "alumni card" to take advantage of various alumni benefits, but unfortunately I do not have such a card. How do I obtain one?



As for what's happening in my life, I have recently become "of counsel" to the law firm of Kamen & Orlovsky, P.A. in West Palm Beach, where I continue to practice law in various areas of civil litigation, including a wide variety of commercial law. My practice includes labor issues such as employment discrimination and wage and hour laws, ownership and shareholder disputes in closely held corporations, and other contractual disputes between businesses. I also have the privilege of assisting in representing the Seminole Indian Tribe in various areas of federal Indian law. This election season, I am also serving as issues director for Congressional candidate Jim Stuber, who is running for Florida's 16th Congressional District.

Enclosed please find a small donation to the University for whatever purpose needed. I would appreciate your forwarding it to the appropriate department.

Hope this letter finds that all is well with you and your family.

Sincerely,
Michael T. Dolce '91

Dear Michael:

Thank you for your letter. It's always gratifying to get a positive response to our mailings.

Your inquiry regarding an alumni card is one I get often. All you or any alum needs to do is contact my office and provide us with your name as you would like it to appear on the card; current address; and class year. That's all there is to it.

Thanks for your letter and your support.

Sincerely,
Steve King '91
Director of Alumni Relations

1996-1997 UNIVERSITY CALENDAR

November 1996

- 13 Outlook '97 — International Economic Symposium in Japan
- 18 Fifth Annual Golf Scramble
- 23 Sixteenth Annual University Ball — "Ireland — Land of Enchantment"

December 1996

- 6 Excalibur Extravaganza
- 10 Countess de Hoernle Holiday Tea
- 17 Alumni Holiday Reception
- 18 A Victorian Christmas Celebration

January 1997

- 18 A Trip to Gulfstream Park
- 22 Excalibur Society General Membership Luncheon
- 29 Frontiers in Globalization Luncheon Lecture
Ms. Cokie Roberts

February 1997

- 1 Pine Tree Camps Open House
- 8-9 Homecoming Weekend
- 11 Countess de Hoernle Valentine Tea
- 14 A Special St. Valentine's Day Luncheon
- 20 Excalibur Goes to South Beach
- 25 Frontiers in Globalization Luncheon Lecture
Dr. Alexander F. Watson
- 26 Excalibur Society General Membership Luncheon

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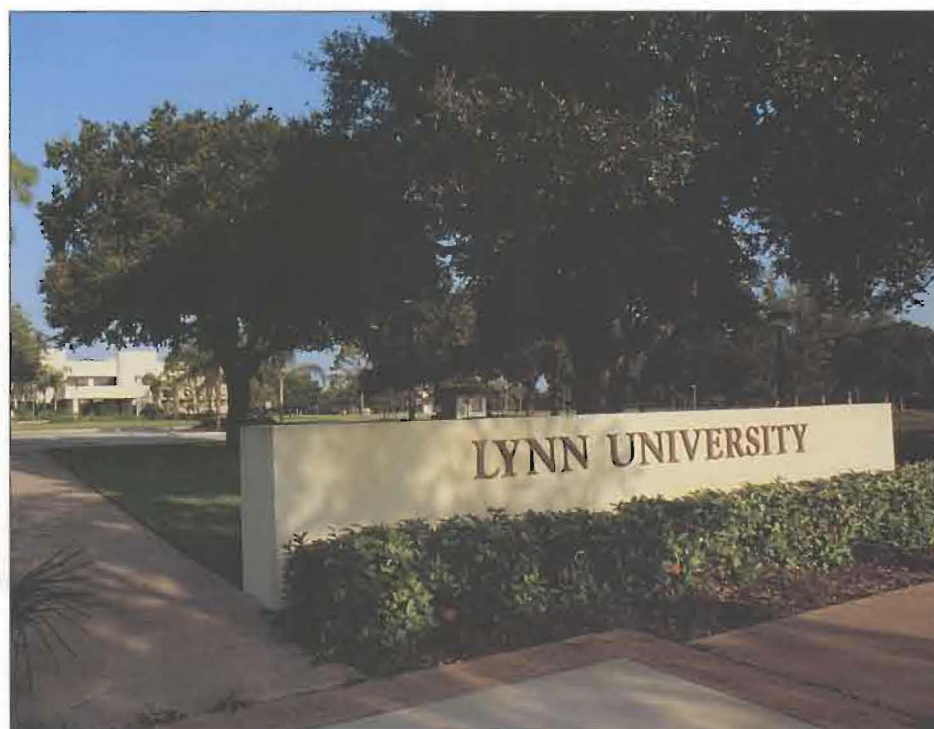
- 10-14 Global Week
- 11 Excalibur Trip to Manalapan and Pope Theatre
- 14 International Day
- 19 President's Council Recognition Dinner
- 21 Honors Convocation
- 21-23 Families Weekend
- 26 Excalibur Society General Membership Luncheon

April 1997

- 5 Excalibur Excursion to Dania Jai Alai
- 8 Countess de Hoernle Spring Tea
- 10-12 Joint Board Retreat
- 23 Excalibur Society General Membership Luncheon

May 1997

- 3 Commencement





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